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| In re:                                | Patent Application of<br>Achim Ansmann, et al. | Group Art Unit: 1617   |
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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 23, 2008**

Sir:

This Reply is responsive to the Office Action dated June 23, 2008, in the above-identified application. Entry of this Reply and reconsideration and reexamination of this application are requested respectfully in view of the following amendments/remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.